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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the twenty-first day of the Ninety-Sixth Legislature, Second Session. Our chaplain this morning is Pastor Jim Eckman of Grace University, Senator Quandahl's guest this morning. Pastor.

PASTOR ECKMAN: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Dr. Eckman. Members, if you'd please report to the Chamber and record your presence, we will begin today's business. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: No corrections this morning, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Redfield has selected LB 1096 as her priority bill for this session. A series of appointment letters from the Governor to the Environmental Trust Board, the Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, and for the Health and Human Services System Partnership Council. Those will be referred to Reference. I have Urban Affairs gubernatorial or confirmation report, I should say, Mr. President.

Urban Affairs also offers the following: LB 237, LB 364, LB 462, LB 536, LB 549, LB 590, LB 702, LB 741, LB 752, LB 804, all reported indefinitely postponed. And, finally, Mr. President, Senator Bourne would like to print an amendment to LB 175 in the Legislative Journal. That's all that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 557-560.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Doctor of the day introduced.) Mr. Clerk, additional items for the record?

CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. Your Committee on Retirement